

# COMPLAINT

CASE NUMBER: **07SW-0004**

The CHRB hereby files a complaint against **KATHLEEN A. PLESTED** for violation of CHRB Rule **1843(A),(D), 1887, 1900**. The person named in this complaint holds a license as a **TRAINER**, license number **282896-07/08**. The offense alleged occurred on or about **JANUARY 20, 2007** and is as follows:

**Kathleen A. Plested was the trainer of record for the horse "Casimir Dow Jones" which ran in the 9<sup>th</sup> race on January 20, 2007 finishing 1<sup>st</sup>. at the Sacramento Harness race meet held at Cal Expo, Sacramento. Post race sample # CE-04115 collected from "Casimir Dow Jones" was reported on February 2, 2007, by the U.C. Davis Equine Laboratory to contain the Class I, prohibited substance "Methamphetamine and Amphetamine" as classified pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule 1843.2 (Classification of Drug Substances). On March 15, 2007 the University of Florida Racing Laboratory confirmed the presence of the Class I, prohibited substance "Methamphetamine and indicated the presence of the substance Amphetamine" in the Split Sample # CE-04115 a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule # 1843.1(a) (Prohibited Drug Substance) and California Horse Racing Board rule # 1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse). Pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule 1859.5 the horse "Casimir Dow Jones is required to be disqualified from the official order of finish and any purse Awards and other monies are Forfeited and ordered to be returned for re-distribution.**

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 19420, 19440, and CHRB Rules, the stewards are empowered to impose penalties for violation of any provision of the CHRB Rules. Such penalties may consist of suspension of any license, fines, and exclusion from all racing enclosures under the jurisdiction of the Board or by any combination of these penalties.

Date :**March 30, 2007**Complainant :**California Horse Racing Board**

## NOTICE TO APPEAR

To **Kathleen A. Plested** you are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Stewards at the below listed location, date, and time.

Location: **Cal Expo,  
Sacramento**

Date:

Time:

You are entitled to reasonable notice of the hearing and reasonable time to prepare for the hearing. If you need additional time to prepare for the hearing, you must contact the Board of Stewards within 72 hours of receipt of this notice. All requests for a continuance must be in writing. You should be prepared to justify your request for additional time. Granting or denial of a request for additional time is within the sound discretion of the stewards. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the GOVERNING PROCEDURES FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, a copy of which is attached to this Complaint and Notice to Appear.

Investigator	Date <b>March 30, 2007</b>
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DISPOSITION OF CASE

The stewards have taken the following action on CASE NUMBER: **07SW-0004**

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